

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 2, 1895

LOCAL MATTERS.

Sun rises to-morrow at 6:14; and sets 5:46. High water 7:11 a. m. and 7:35 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section fair weather; slight changes in temperature; winds shifting to southerly.

SHOT BY HIS BROTHER.—A small colored boy named Romeo Essex, about thirteen years of age, living in the western portion of the city, yesterday found a small one-barreled pistol. He tried several times to discharge the weapon, but was unsuccessful. He waited until his brother, Garfield Essex, who is about fifteen years of age, came home, and showing him the weapon, asked him to fire it off. The elder brother took the pistol in his hand and tried to shoot it. He was unsuccessful for a time, but finally the pistol was discharged, and the ball entered Romeo's abdomen. The boy fell to the ground and later was carried to the Alexandria Infirmary, where Drs. Purvis, Snowden and Smith were summoned. There was but one chance of saving the boy's life—and that was through an operation, and the physicians proceeded to prepare him for it. He was placed upon the operating table and the entire viscera removed, during which it was found that the bullet had made five holes through the intestines. These were sewed up, the cavity sponged out and the hemorrhages staved, after which all was replaced in position and the aperture in the abdomen closed. The operation is one which is seldom performed, and though attended with great risk recovery has followed in most cases. The boy who did the shooting was arrested and is held. At 3 o'clock this evening the boy's condition was considered to be favorable to recovery.

FIRE COMPANY MEETING.—The regular monthly meeting of the Hydraulic Steam Fire Engine Company was held in their hall last night with Mr. Robt. Gronau in the chair and Mr. Walter Ballenger as secretary. A vote of thanks was extended to the Standard Oil Company for a donation of \$33.34 for services rendered at the fire at the company's works on Oronoco street. Three new members were elected and four names were proposed for membership. The company presented Mr. Geo. W. Petty, foreman of the company, with a handsome fire hat (for selling tickets for an entertainment) to be used by him at fires. Mr. Geo. W. Dix purchased the hat and made the presentation speech on behalf of the company, which was responded to by Mr. Petty in some appropriate remarks. Some routine business was transacted and various inquiries as to when the company will get its new house were made. The members think the city fathers are standing very much in their own light by not building a house for the company, as the city is now spending \$87 a year for rent and have been spending \$75 a year since 1865, which amount would more than build an engine house. They now say that the way the company has to work is an injury to their horses and causes delay in responding to fires. They say they have no conveniences or accommodation in the present building and want a properly equipped house for men and horses and that is all they ask.

POLICE COURT.—Mayor Thompson presiding.—The following cases were disposed of last night:

A man, arrested by Officer Wilkinson for assaulting an acquaintance, was fined \$5.

Fred. Washington, a colored boy, charged with throwing stones, was locked up, it appearing he had no home and no one to answer for his conduct.

Emma Lovelace, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$5 or given 60 days in the work house.

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Anthony Graham and John Williams, charged with vagrancy, were dismissed upon a promise to leave the city.

Samuel Griffin, colored, arrested by Special Officer Price for obtaining provisions, &c., under false pretenses, was given his choice—to pay for the articles he had obtained or go to the chain gang for ninety days.

Lizzie Carter, colored, charged with using profane language, was dismissed.

Garfield Essex, colored, charged with shooting his brother, Romeo Essex, was held.

Night Report.—Last night was clear and cool. Three prisoners were at the station house.

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW.—To-night at Christ Church lecture room Rev. Thomas Semmes and Rev. Chas. B. Sparks, who represented the chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew of this city at the general convention at Louisville last week, will make their report. The public is invited, and interesting addresses are expected.

On Tuesday night next the local council of the brotherhood will hold a public meeting at St. Paul's Church lecture room. The following subjects will be discussed: "Work of the Brotherhood in Alexandria." (a) "A Workman's Club." by Mr. George W. Salter, of St. John's Church, Washington; (b) "Can the local council establish a similar one in Alexandria," by Mr. George Darley, of Grace Chapter. General discussion, in three minute addresses, for thirty minutes. (c) "Chapter Work—Cottage Meetings," by Mr. J. Murray Bartels, of Christ Chapter. General discussion, in three minute addresses, for thirty minutes.

WAIFS.—There are a number of little colored children in this city who are virtually fatherless, motherless and homeless, and who live in the streets. A small black boy named Fred. Washington has been in the Police Court several times recently charged with misdemeanors. He has no home, and no one to answer for him. He is too small to send to jail and runs away from the work house when sent there. The boy was picked up yesterday for poisoning a wagon and defying the police. He repeated his old story—he had no father, his mother didn't live here and he had no relatives to look after him. He was locked up, but how to dispose of him is an enigma.

THE "LIBERTY BELL" TO STOP HERE. The "Old Liberty Bell" en route to the Atlanta Exposition will arrive in this city Friday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock and leave here five minutes later. It will be accompanied by a civil and military escort from the city of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, and many prominent persons from other sections.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Charles Minnigerode and her daughter, Miss Belle Minnigerode, have returned from Fauquier county, where they spent a part of the summer.

Miss Rhoda Brydon, of Baltimore, who is visiting the Misses Lyles on south Fairfax street, was given a surprise party last night by her many friends.

The engagement of Miss Virginia Day, of Warrenton, to Mr. E. Beverly Slater, of Baltimore, is announced.

Mr. C. A. Padgett, one of the Alexandria letter-carriers, and Miss Mamie Talbott were married at the parsonage of St. Mary's Catholic Church this morning by Rev. Father Bowler.

Mrs. P. B. Peyton, of Charlottesville, is visiting her parents in this city.

A letter received here to-day from Mr. L. W. Corbett, who is now in Denver, Col., says that he is very anxious to return to his home in this city, but that his physician there has advised him to remain in Denver during this winter.

Mr. Robert Elliott left here last night for Lewisburg, W. Va., where to-morrow he will marry Miss Sibyl Thomas, of that town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bradley Price have returned from Jeannette, Pa., and will make this city their home.

Grand Regent Jamieson will to-morrow night visit McCarthy Council, Royal Arcanum, at Richmond.

The marriage of Mr. Claude M. Lennon and Miss Mae B. Shuman will take place this evening at St. Mary's Church at 6:30 o'clock, and that of Miss C. B. King and Mr. C. W. Hulfish at Grace Church at 7:30 o'clock.

W. J. Hubbard, Grand Dictator of the Knights of Honor of Virginia, paid an official visit to Belle Haven Lodge, Knights of Honor, of this city, last night. The Grand Dictator delivered an interesting address during the evening.

Mr. B. C. White was in the city to-day on a visit to friends.

FEAST OF TABERNACLES.—To-morrow at sunrise begins the Jewish festival of Tabernacles. It is not as generally observed as New Year or the Day of Atonement. The feast marked the gathering of the second harvest in Palestine, and is commanded in Leviticus, being also a reminder of the escape of the Israelites from Egyptian bondage and the wandering in the wilderness for forty years. It is called the Feast of Booths, because the Israelites were directed to dwell in booths during the seven days of the festival. Only the first and last days are observed as holidays. The entire festival lasts, practically, eight days, the last two added being called Feast of Consecration, with rejoicing of the Law, like that held sacred as the duplicate festival. This will end an eventful month of festivals for the Israelites.

DEATH OF MRS. DUCKWORTH.—Mrs. James A. Duckworth, daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Charles Minnigerode, died at St. Germans, Cornwall, England, on the 29th ult. Mrs. Duckworth was well-known in this city and throughout the State, and the news of her death was a severe shock to her many friends and relatives—especially to her aged mother, now a resident of this city, and who has the sympathy of the entire community. Mrs. Duckworth had been living in England for some time. She was in this city last January at the time of her father's death, but returned soon afterwards to England. She leaves a husband and one son.

COMMITTEE MEETING.—A meeting of the committee on streets of the City Council was held last night at which several matters were considered.

It was decided to dispense with the services of W. B. Dobie, foreman of the street workmen, after next Saturday. It was also decided that no successor would be appointed at present.

It was ordered that for the present persons employed on the streets shall begin work at seven a. m. and stop at six p. m.

Some other minor business was transacted.

SAID THEY WERE PLAYING.—Two young men were before the Mayor last night charged with fighting. One of them had a black eye, the effects of the fracas. Most of the evidence was to the effect that the two men were playing, and that the blow was an accident. The Mayor called attention to a law of the city which prohibits games dangerous to the participants and others, and fined the man who struck the blow \$4. The affair occurred in an upper King street bar room.

A BRIDE IN TROUBLE.—Emma Lovelace, who was married last week, is in duress, having spent last night in the station house and now she has the prospect of a sixty-days' sojourn in the work house before her. Emma married her honeymoon yesterday by getting drunk and cursing every one with whom she came in contact until a policeman had to take her into custody. Last night she was fined \$5, which she was unable to pay and was turned over to Overseer Smith.

REV. W. M. CLARK.—We have the pleasure to announce that Mr. Clark will continue his useful work here. At the request of the vestry of St. George's Church, the vestry of Christ Church, Alexandria, has released Rev. W. M. Clark from his acceptance of the rectorship of the latter church and the vestry of St. George's Church has unanimously reconsidered the vote by which Mr. Clark's resignation was accepted. We know that this announcement will not only be received with joy by the congregation of St. George's Church, but also with satisfaction and pleasure by our entire community.—Fredericksburg Star.

CORRECTION.—The item in yesterday's GAZETTE announcing Rev. Mr. Clark's determination not to accept the rectorship of Christ Church, made him say that he feared he might do more harm by leaving Fredericksburg than he could hope to accomplish in Alexandria for many years. It should have read that he feared he might do more harm by leaving Fredericksburg than he could accomplish good in Alexandria.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY.—Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.—The following office judgments were entered: Washington Brewing Co. vs. C. P. Porter; dismissed. Same vs. Same; judgment for plaintiff for \$367.26. White, Daly & Co. vs. Richard Murphy; judgment for plaintiff for \$253.25.

THE RACES.—The races at St. Asaph to-day resulted as follows:

First race, 4 furlongs.—Jo Jap won, Frank D. second, Gaiety third. Time 56 1/2.

Second race, 6 furlongs.—Humming Bird won, Cady second, Carnalite third. Time 1:24 1/2.

W. F. Webster, who was yesterday appointed a constable for the First ward, to-day qualified.

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop.

10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

Special Exhibition

French and English Pattern Hats and Bonnets and Millinery Novelties, also the latest ideas in Hats for general outdoor wear.

Fall Opening of Knitted Underwear,

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S.

Every desirable kind of garment—imported and domestic. The prices are very reasonable.

Women's Swiss Ribbed Egyptian Balbriggan Vests and Pants, 25 and 50c.

Women's Plain Vests and Pants, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.15.

Women's Swiss Ribbed Merino Vests and Pants, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Women's Wool Vests, natural color, 75c to \$1.70.

Women's Swiss Ribbed All-wool Vests, medium and heavy weights, \$1.25 to \$1.75.

Women's Swiss Ribbed Lisle-and-wool Vests, low neck, no sleeves, 75c to \$1.35.

Women's Swiss Ribbed Silk-and-lisle Vests, 75c to \$2.05.

Women's Swiss Ribbed All-silk Vests, \$1 to \$5.25.

Women's Combination Suits in cotton, part wool, all wool, lisle-and-wool, lisle and all-silk—\$1.50 to \$9.00 each.

Abdominal Bands for women and men, 75c each.

Children's Merino Vests, Pants and Drawers, 25c to 75c each.

Children's Wool Vests, Pants, and Drawers, 45c to 75c each.

Children's Plain Merino Vests, American Hosiery Co.'s make, full regular made, 70c to \$1.40.

Children's Plain Merino Pants, American Hosiery Co.'s make, 60c to 90c.

(First floor.....1009 F st. building.)

A Special Sale of Boys' Suits

BEGINS TO-DAY.

We've divided the miscellaneous assortment into three lots as follows:

Lot 1.—All-wool Suits, made double-breasted, and worth at least a dollar more than our price. Sizes 4 to 15 years. \$2.50 each.

Lot 2.—All-wool Suits, many with double seat and knees. Made up to sell for \$5.00 and \$6.00. Sizes 4 to 15 years, \$3.50 each.

Lot 3.—All-wool "Broadbrooks" Suits. Only two patterns. The stuffs are exceedingly fine, like the Scotch goods. Sizes 4 to 16 years. Easily worth \$7.50 with one pair of trousers, \$5.00 each.

(Third floor.....10th-st. building.)

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Now is that joyous season come

When merry reed birds pipe, And buckwheat cakes and scrapple, too, Are getting good and ripe.

A party of engineers were to-day engaged in running lines near West End for the electric railway.

The boys of the public schools were given holiday to-day that they might go to the Wild West show in Washington.

The barn and stable belonging to Mr. George Head, near Ivy Hill cemetery, was destroyed by fire early last night.

Sarepta Lodge of Odd Fellows at their meeting last night initiated one member and transacted some routine business.

The marriage of Miss Mary Jasper Munson and Mr. W. K. Harrison took place to-day in the Presbyterian church at Falls Church.

Mayor Thompson to-day settled with Auditor Price for the month of September. \$787.18 was collected for licenses and \$241.75 for fines.

O'Neal & Lunt have sold for M. L. Poulton and A. H. Richards six acres of land on the Leesburg pike, near the Seminary, for \$1,500.

A fine bay mare which was found estray was taken up by Mr. O. F. Baggett yesterday evening and turned into his field near the cemetery.

Belle Haven Lodge of Good Templars held an interesting meeting last night. The expected visit from a Washington Lodge was postponed till next Tuesday.

James E. McKenney & Co. have opened their oyster house at the corner of Prince and Royal streets, and will keep throughout the season the best oysters to be had.

In the Corporation Court to-day the case of Martha Preston vs. the German Building Association No. 5 was argued on the exceptions to Commissioner Waters's report. The Judge took the papers.

A meeting of the Fire Wardens to have been held yesterday evening was postponed for want of a quorum, consequently the charge against the Columbia Fire Company for not turning in an alarm Sunday week ago was not investigated.

An entertainment for the benefit of James W. Jackson Council, Junior Order of Mechanics, was given at the Opera House last night. A large audience was present, and the affair was a decided success in every particular, those participating acquiring themselves creditably.

The Young Men's Sodality Lyceum last night made final arrangements for the celebration of the seventh anniversary of the society. A very interesting programme has been arranged. The invited guests will participate in an oyster roast and smoker. The Leonada quartette will render vocal music at the entertainment. The young men of the Lyceum are preparing a drama entitled "The Woven Web," which will be produced at their hall the first week in September.

Mr. W. O. F. Walters was arrested at the Alexandria Island race track by Town Sergeant A. A. Sonie, of Falls Church, Saturday and placed in the town lock-up, where he remained over Sunday, charged with feloniously removing property levied upon by the sergeant. The household goods of Mr. Walters were attached for rent due Mrs. Rawlings, and it is alleged that he removed them out of the State Thursday night last, without the

DRY GOODS.

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NO. 316 KING STREET.

OUR GRAND FALL OPENING SALE COMMENCES MONDAY.

Facts and Figures can argue more forcibly than words can tell of the Push, Energy and Enterprise always shown at D. BENDHEIM & SONS'.

OPENING BARGAINS.

40c Double Width, All Wool Ladies' Cloths for 25c.

25c Double Width Henriettas for 18c.

35c Double Width, Black Figured Mohairs, for 18c.

35c All Wool Dress Serges for 25c.

12 1/2c Fancy Dress Plaids for 8 1/2c.

20c All Wool Storm Serges for 3 1/2c.

20c Changeable Dress Goods for 12 1/2c.

50c All Wool Silk Faced Black Henrietta for 39c.

75c All Wool 46-inch Imperial Dress Serges for 39c.

45c All Wool Plaid Flannels for 25c.

35c All Silk Indias, all colors, including Black, for 23c.

50c Changeable Taffeta Silks for Waists, for 29c.

75c Brocaded Taffeta Changeable Silks for 39c.

75c Satin Figured Changeable Marvieux Silks for 49c.

75c Figured Drapery Silks for 49c.

SALE OF BLEACHED SHEETINGS, COTTONS, TABLE LINENS, HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS.

30c Bleached 10-4 Pequot Sheet Remnants for 21c.

25c Bleached 9-4 Pequot Sheet Remnants for 19c.

15c Pequot 5-4 Pillow Case Remnants for 10c.

7c Bleached 4-4 Cotton Remnants for 5c.

9c Bleached Androscoggin Remnants for 6 1/2c.

10c Fruit of the Loom Cotton Remnants for 7 1/2c.

12 1/2c Ulica Nonpareil Cotton Remnants for 8 1/2c.

16c Lowell 10-4 Brown Sheet Remnants for 12 1/2c.

5c Heavy Brown Cotton Remnants for 5c.

5c Indigo Blue Print Remnants for 5c.

8c Simsbury Mourning and Satine Print Remnants for 5c.

10c White Cambric, yard-wide, for 7 1/2c.

10c Fast Black Satine for 6 1/2c.

25c Fancy Stripe Elderdowns for 15c.

8c New Fall Dress Gingham for 5c.

8c Apron Gingham for 5c.

8c Dark Oiling Flannels for 5 1/2c.

15c Figured Princess Cashmeres for 8 1/2c.

20c All Wool Heavy Twilled Red Flannel for 15c.

20c Wool Mixed White Flannel for 15c.

25c All Linen Table Damask for 16c.

35c Red and Green Table Damask, 60 inches wide, for 29c.

7c Bleached Canton Flannel Remnants for 5 1/2c.

8c Heavy Unbleached Canton Flannel for 6 1/2c.

10c Heavy Unbleached Canton Flannel for 7 1/2c.

7c All Linen Crashers for 4 1/2c.

5c Twill and Plain Cotton Crashers for 3 1/2c.

20c Gray Wool Flannel for 14 1/2c.

20c Best Quality Feather Ticking for 12 1/2c.

15c Heavy Blue Denim Remnants for 10c.

95c White and Double Blankets for 59c.

69c White Bed Spreads for 49c.

\$2 Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, for \$1.39.

49c Chenille Table Covers for 29c.

10c Dressmakers' Silasias for 7 1/2c.

15c Heavy Lining Canvas for 9c.

35c Fluyo Chambray for 25c.

15c Hair Cloths for 9c.

10c Lenox, all colors, for 6 1/2c.

See OUR HAND BILL for price list of HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, &c.

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316 KING STREET.

knowledge or consent of the officer; hence these criminal proceedings. The case will come up before Mayor Payne.

H. W. Woolf has been appointed freight auditor of the Southern Railway, with offices in Washington, his duties commencing yesterday. This appointment does not in any way supersede George S. Hobbs, the general auditor of the road, but Mr. Woolf will be really an assistant to Mr. Hobbs, to relieve him of all matters relating to freight.

Harry M. Emmons, a machinist employed in the breech-making department of the Washington navy yard, was so badly crushed by the planer at which he was at work yesterday afternoon that his death is only a matter of a few hours. His head was caught in the mechanism and terribly mangled.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Samuel M. McNett, of Augusta county, and Irene B. Buress, of Louisa county; and to David D. Wilkerson, of Westmoreland county, and Lizzie Cornell.

The Fairfax republicans will hold a mass meeting next Monday night at the court house, place a candidate in the field, Mr. Job Hawhurst, chairman of the party, having called a meeting for the purpose.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Rosanna Swann took place from her late residence at Preston, in the county, yesterday evening. The services were conducted by Rev. S. A. Wallis.

Rev. John McGill, the new rector of the Episcopal Church at Falls Church, will call upon his duties next week, preaching his first sermon next Sunday morning.

The steamer Baltimore, of the North River line, cracked her shaft off the Rappahannock river yesterday morning, and arrived at Baltimore eleven hours late.

Mrs. Lucretia Barker, widow of the late Quintin Barker, formerly of this city, died yesterday at the residence of her son, E. W. Barker, in Washington.

The City Council will hold its first regular meeting after the summer recess on next Tuesday.

By O'Neal & Lunt, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed by David Lucas and wife, and recorded in deed book No. 27, page 178, one of the land records for the city of Alexandria, and by direction of the court hereby secured, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on

SATURDAY, November 2nd, 1895, the following lot of ground with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point in the north side of Oronoco street nineteen feet five inches west of Royal street and running thence west on Oronoco street nineteen feet five inches; thence north parallel with Royal street ninety-four feet to an alley sixteen feet wide; thence east parallel with Oronoco street nineteen feet five inches; and thence south parallel with Royal street ninety-four feet to the beginning, together with the use of said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

Terms of Sale: For cash as to so much of the purchase money as may be necessary to pay the costs, charges and the expenses of executing this trust, including the commission of the trustees and the amount due at the time of sale on account of the bond secured by said deed of trust, and of the covenants in said deed, the same aggregating \$350; and the residue of the purchase money at six months from day of sale, the purchaser to give his note for the balance, with interest to be paid in six percent annuities, which is to